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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES SUMMER 2016 LEGAL INTERN POSITION

The Department of Public Utilities is an adjudicatory agency overseen by a three-member Commission. It is responsible for oversight of investor-owned electric power, natural gas, and water utilities in the Commonwealth; developing alternatives to traditional regulation; monitoring service quality; regulating safety in the transportation and gas pipeline areas; and for the siting of energy facilities. The mission of the Department is to ensure that utility consumers are provided with the most reliable service at the lowest possible cost; to protect the public safety from transportation and gas pipeline related accidents; to oversee the energy facilities siting process; and to ensure that residential ratepayers' rights are protected.

The Legal Division staff serves as the chief legal and policy advisor to the Commission and provides legal support to all divisions of the Department.

POSITION: Legal Intern

DUTIES: Provides assistance to legal staff of state regulatory agency. Duties

involve legal research, drafting documents, answering public inquiries, preparing correspondence, attending meetings and

performing other related duties.

QUALIFICATIONS: Applicant must have completed one year of law school, and have

excellent writing, research and organizational skills, as well as an

interest in administrative, energy, or environmental law.

SALARY: \$16 - \$19 per hour

HOW TO APPLY: Send cover letter and resume to:

EMAIL <u>DPU-HR@State.MA.US</u>

MAIL Department of Public Utilities

Human Resources Division

One South Station Boston, MA 02110

LAST DATE TO APPLY: Open until position filled; preference given to applications

received by April 29, 2016

The Department is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Females, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.